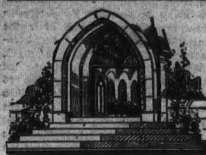


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"Serve the Church that the Church  
May Serve You."

## CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:  
11.00 a.m., Senior school.  
2.00 p.m., Junior school.  
7.30 p.m., Public Worship.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. W. E. Brown

First Sunday after Trinity—  
11 a.m., Holy Communion.  
12 Noon, Sunday School.  
Thursdays: War Intercession, 7.30 p.m.

## SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieuts. S. Nahrney and R. Hammond.  
Officers in charge.

## Sunday services:

11.00 a.m., Hellness Meeting.  
3.00 p.m., Sunday School.  
7.30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.  
Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Wednesday: Sunbeam Brownies at 4.30 p.m., Boys' Club 6 p.m.  
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting.  
Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

## BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.  
7.30 p.m., Evangelistic service.  
We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

## HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 3 p.m.

## BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7.30 p.m. every Sunday.

## COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

At Detroit, Henry Ford, who hated war all his life, said this war will be just a rehearsal for a more terrible combat, unless creeds are eliminated, disunity in religion is overcome, and national barriers are leveled. He said we have progressed so rapidly in developing machinery for killing people that humanity could not survive another war.



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## BLAIRMORE PATROL TEAM WINS SHIELD AT CALGARY

The Alberta Elks in session at Calgary on Monday evening witnessed the contest between Blairmore and Calgary patrol teams, in which Blairmore emerged winners of the Roy Pendray Shield by a score of 98 to 97 out of a possible 100. A. R. Bourne was Blairmore's patrol sergeant.

This shield has been competed for each year since 1921. It is now on display in the Blairmore Hardware window.

## MINERS AGREE ON HOLIDAYS

The Western Canada Bituminous (Steam) Coal Operators' Association has arrived at an agreement with representatives of coal miners in District 18, U. M. W. of A., on the question of holidays for miners. The agreement has been forwarded to the National War Labor Board at Ottawa for final ratification.

The award specifies two weeks holidays with pay for miners with a minimum of one year's service, provided not more than 90 days' working time was lost in one year except for causes beyond control.

## CAPTAIN DUVAL HONORED

The Free French and Belgians held a successful banquet at the Greenhill Grill on Sunday evening, June 4th, in honor of Captain Duval, accompanied by his wife. Monsieur Duval is a representative direct from France and is visiting all the Free French and Belgian organizations throughout Canada. He returned from Algiers but three months ago.

In his address, the guest of honor partly dealt with the invasion, which once begun must be carried through resolutely until it reaches a successful conclusion. He impressed upon the gathering the unity of all the people of France in their struggle against the invader, and also the need for the French and Belgian peoples to continue their support in the cause of liberation. Capt. Duval expressed appreciation for the splendid work of the local organization.

Other addresses were given by speakers from De Winton, Calgary and Blairmore. The banquet, attended by all local members, was brought to a close with the singing of the "Marseillaise" and "O Canada."

Present from Calgary were Mr. Auclair and Mr. Bernard, president and secretary of the Free French, and Mr. Paulin; and from De Winton two French navy trainees.

An ad reads: Use Lumbo Soap—doesn't lather, doesn't bubble, doesn't clean. It's just company in the tub.

Owing to a temporary illness of Mayor E. Williams, Monday night's meeting of the town council was adjourned to last night, Thursday.

LOST — Long-haired fawn-colored Pekinese. Answers to phone 7-1620. Reward.

Mrs. D. Kemp, senior, entered the Holy Cross hospital in Calgary on June 3rd for a major operation.

The name of Associated Breweries (Alberta) Limited is to be changed to Sicks' Breweries (Alberta) Limited.

The girls today like grandma's clothes; Her styles they often use.

But grandma never wore, we know, The things our girls call shoes.

Guido Giacomuzzi, who is in the navy, spent several days at his home here during the week while enroute from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Frances Harriet Knowlton, mother of Mrs. J. R. Hague, formerly of Coleman and now of Innisfail, passed away at Lethbridge on May 27th at the ripe age of 78. Her husband predeceased her in 1933.



## CROWS' NEST PASS GIRL IS CRACK SHOT

Lieut. Mary LaRoche, holder of several trophies as a marksman, and member of the Dominion championship team, is stationed as training officer at the Canadian Women's Army Corps St. Sulpice barracks in Montreal. Above, she demonstrates the correct aiming position. She hails from Frank, Alta., and enlisted in the CWAC at Lethbridge with first quota for MD 13. (Engraving Courtesy Lethbridge Herald.)

## WINSTON WANTED TO BE WITH THE BOYS

London, June 7. — Prime Minister Winston Churchill was dissuaded only with great difficulty from accompanying the invasion fleet in Tuesday's assault against France, according to Sir Bertram Ramsey.

Sir Bertram, commanding the Allied invasion forces, was quoted by an Australian war correspondent, as saying that the prime minister was eventually convinced by Allied officers that his presence in the invasion fleet would involve a great deal of extra work in assuring his protection.

## YOUNG PEOPLE CAN HELP

The great assault on Hitler's fortress Europe has started. Regardless of how many men there may be now on the fighting fronts, and regardless of how much equipment, supplies and foodstuffs they now have, we may be quite sure of one thing, which is that still more men will be needed to go into battle; that still more equipment, more munitions, more supplies and more foodstuffs will be most urgently needed. This all means that the existing shortage of manpower in Canada on farms and in factories will be more acute in the near future than it is even at the moment, and that our farmers will urgently need more help.

Young people from high school and universities, who will soon be starting their summer vacations, can certainly help Canada's war effort if they will seize every opportunity to work on farms during their summer vacations. They would find the work most interesting, and would furthermore have the knowledge that they are helping to produce more precious food for our fighting forces overseas, and so they would themselves be striking a blow not only to ensure eventual victory, but indeed to avert the war and help to bring their brothers and sisters home as quickly as possible from the battle fronts.

Pete Columbus, well known mayor of Morrissey, celebrated his eightieth birthday last week. Pete is a real old timer in the west. He first came to Fernie early in the century, but he was in the west during the rebellion and there was a grave suspicion that he was smuggling whiskey into Canada as early as 1885. Pete is very spry for his age and thinks nothing of walking the twenty miles into Fernie and back. About a year ago he suffered a serious illness, but has now fully recovered his health. — Fernie Echo Press.

Rev. B. F. Ennals, of Invermere, BC, has accepted a call to the United church at Creston.

## A NASTY SLAM

The Montreal Herald has it that "Yale boasts a 12-year-old student who at the age of four months spoke a complete sentence. This could be attributed either to the fact that he had brains or to his sisters."

Coleman Elks will sponsor an annual carnival on Saturday and Monday, July 15 and 17.

Thirty years ago \$310,000 was realized from a real estate auction sale in two days at Prince George. The average price was around \$1,500 a lot.

An electrically driven abrasive machine had to be used to remove lipstick from the marble walls of Radio City in New York. For removing it from the face, a wad of steel wool will do.

Announcement is made that no automobile new tires for civilians will be allowed until 1945, unless they are engaged in essential war work and qualified under the government's tire rationing order.

Arrangements are being made between Miss Freda Antrobus, LTCM, and the Lions' Club of Coleman, to have Freda give a recital in the Coleman community hall on the evening of Wednesday, June 21st.

Cliff Madden had the misfortune to trip and fall early last week, suffering a gash that appeared to extend from just north of the chin to slightly above the right knee. The ground has since been repaired.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith, of Lundbreck, that their 18-year-old son, Sergt. Air Gunner Robert E. Smith, is in England and enjoying the country and his RCAP activities.

Dr. F. Stacey McCall, principal of Alberta College, Edmonton, will be the main speaker at the 33rd annual commencement ceremonies of Mount Royal College in the Central United church at Calgary on Monday.

A divorce decree absolute has been awarded William Anthony Price, of Bellevue, against Violet May Price, of Calgary, the husband obtaining custody of two children from the marriage.

Appeals against the jail sentences of some 35 Doukhobors are being heard at Vancouver this week. They were jailed for a nude demonstration in the Nelson school.

FOR SALE — Four-roomed house with sun-porch full length of house, located behind the Bellevue Inn at Bellevue. Apply to (Mrs) Mary Pells, Creston, BC, for information.

## BLAIRMORE RECEIVES CHARTER SAVINGS AND CREDIT UNION

Last week announcement was made that Blairmore had fallen in line with other towns in establishing a savings and credit union. They have already received a charter from the Department of Trade and Industry, Edmonton.

Fourteen citizens made application for the charter. At the close of business on May 31st their membership had increased to 32, and hopes are being entertained that this number will be increased to at least the 100 mark before the end of the year.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are: Rev. M. A. Harrington, president; J. A. Packer, vice-president; H. M. Dancy, secretary; Louis Lord, and P. Aschacher members of the executive. The supervisory committee is composed of J. V. McDougall, A. R. Bourne and A. Vejprava; credit committee, R. C. Old, C. R. Coover and Stan Heppell; treasurer, Joe Mooney.

The name adopted is Blairmore Savings and Credit Union Limited No. 49. Meetings are to be held every Monday evening for study purposes. The office is that formerly occupied by C. J. Tompkins in the Kubik block which is to be open every Saturday night for business.

The idea of the credit union is to promote and foster community savings and borrowings.

## JOE KORNER KILLED IN ACTION

Word was received last week end by Mrs. A. M. Queen that her son, Joseph Korner, had been killed in action overseas on May 23rd.

Joe was born in Blairmore on December 5th twenty years ago and joined up in January of 1943. Trained in Calgary and Camrose, he went overseas in September last, and after a short time in England spent two months in North Africa, moving to Italy in November. His father, Joe Korner, predeceased him thirteen years ago, being a victim of World War I.

Surviving are his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Queen, in Blairmore; one brother, Robert, overseas; sister, Mrs. George Skella, Coleman; three sisters in Blairmore; half sister and half brother at home, and grandmother in Blairmore, where Joe stayed till he joined up.

Joe had a smile for all whom he met. He was a member of the Loy's Edmonton Regiment.

The remains of Leslie Nichols, victim of a truck accident in the Columbia Valley of BC, were shipped to Medicine Hat for burial. Nichols, 29, was killed when the truck he was driving plunged off the road near Columbia lake. Two passengers in the truck suffered injuries.

Many lovers of so-called "chickens" in the Crows' Nest Pass should be interested in the knowledge that a chicken house must be at least 20:25 feet to hold more than one. If they have been raised to maturity, the "chickens" may be worth about fifty cents. Such chickens are somewhat in demand in this district. Their gross income is estimated at \$900 to \$1,400 a year.

Mrs. William Ingram, of Fernie last week received word that her grandson, Donald Hugh McLachlan son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLachlan, of Vernon, had been killed in Italy on May 23rd last. He was a lieutenant in the artillery. His elder brother, William, lost his life in action in June last. Both boys were born and brought up in Fernie, and were very well and popularly known.

Mrs. Ingram's eldest son, Andrew, was killed in the World War, and her youngest son, Frank, in this war. He husband died from a blow he received when struck down by footpads.

## GRANUM RESIDENT PASSES AT COLEMAN

The death occurred at Coleman hospital on Saturday morning last of Marion Smith, of Granum, in his 69th year. The remains were forwarded to Granum, where interment took place following service in St. Augustine's church on Tuesday morning.

The late Marion Francis Smith was born in Meriden, Iowa, and was married in 1907 to Miss Lillian Mettrey. Left to mourn his loss are his wife; two sons, Vernal at Corbin and Harold at Coleman; one sister and one brother.

## HILLCREST RESIDENT IS BEREAVED

Mr. Fred McDougall, of Hillcrest, received word during the week of the death of his brother, Angus McDougall, in Edmonton on Sunday last at the age of 52.

Son of the late Alexander and Sarah McDougall, of Inverness, NS, Mr. McDougall came out to Alberta in 1916, locating in Edmonton. He had numerous friends throughout the province, as well as in the Maritime. In Alberta he worked mostly at Cadomin, Brule and other points north.

Surviving are his brothers, Fred at Hillcrest, and John E. McDougall at Broadview Banks in Inverness County; sisters, Mrs. M. McFarland at Port Hastings, Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Bryant at Detroit, Michigan.

The remains were laid to rest in the Edmonton cemetery following a largely attended service at St. Joseph's cathedral on Monday of this week. Mr. Fred McDougall attended.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Blairmore Enterprise, in reporting a police court case recently, sized up the audience as follows:

This case seemed to have aroused considerable interest. All through the case the spacious (?) municipal office was packed to the doors. In looking over the corridor and walls we espied Mike Rossi, the honorable chairman of the Blairmore police commission; Mayor James G. Ewan; Signora Cattano Bazoli, of San Francisco, Cal.; George G. McCollom, of Carlton, New Brunswick; Frank Wright, from Mowdwy, Wales; Bill McVey and Shorty Glasco, from the north of Ireland; sixteen Italians, a Norwegian, three Swedes, eleven returned veterans, two Finlanders, six Bohemians, two lawyers, four commercial travellers, a preacher, thirteen Nova Scotians and about twenty white men—Ferne's Free Press.

## SMART POLICE WORK

Illustrating the fine co-operation between the various police forces, RCMP and the BC police, acting together, have traced and intercepted the automobile stolen from Walter Hoffman, of Macleod, on Monday, June 5th.

RCMP in the Crows' Nest Pass traced the car as having gone through the Pass and notified the British Columbia police to that effect. As a result, the BC police intercepted the car Tuesday in the Cranbrook area.

Persons found in possession of the car were Theodore Bohmer, Neil McMillan and Bruce Monty. The men have been charged with theft of an automobile and are being returned under RCMP escort to Macleod for trial.—EX.

Mrs. Dino DeMartin, of Windsor, Ontario, has been visiting relatives in Coleman and Blairmore for a week or two, and left the early part of the week to join her husband, Petty Officer DeMartin, at Edmonton.

Percy Redmond has resumed work at Kimberley, with the Bennett & White Co., after spending a few months in Blairmore.







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OUR COMPLETE  
SHORT STORY—

SHOES!

— By —  
JOSEPH J. SANDA

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Mr. Williger's face brightened. There in the door of the shoe store stood Mr. Benton in an attitude of welcome.

Mr. Williger's lank frame moved with new buoyancy. He'd have something to show for his labors to-day. Benton's store was one place that made his work a pleasure. It was no lack finding attentive ears and receptive minds for his pleas in behalf of the Charities Group and its shoe fund. At times, he grew almost sick with discouragement. But occasionally he managed to reap a good harvest for the needy. The Group was proud of him.

"Here we are again," Mr. Williger announced cheerfully, as he followed Benton into the store.

Inside, his eyes took in the shelves closely packed with high quality stock. Then, for some reason, he felt disturbed. Could he expect Benton to donate a whole case of shoes again, odd lots though they might be? The man looked nice and when Benton spoke, his voice lacked something. "Of course," Mr. Williger said to see you again Mr. Williger," he was saying, "but I'm afraid I can't do anything for you this time. Sorry."

Mr. Williger thought Benton really was sorry. He could tell that by his sad, kind eyes and the way he held his head. It seemed to him the gray hair had turned somewhat whiter.

"I'm beginning to think that moving my store next door to the newest and biggest hotel in the city wasn't such a good idea, after all," Benton continued. "My old customers don't seem to realize that I'm here. Maybe they don't care." Benton sighed. "And they were the best people."

"You deserve a gold business," Mr. Williger said earnestly.

Benton tried to sound cheerful. "It's true I haven't been very busy lately, but—who can tell? A good stock turnover and then we'll have

something for you. Eh, Mr. Williger?"

Mr. Williger nodded. Benton was a fine man. He wished he could do something. He felt low, but his spirits rose at the thought of today's luncheon given by the city's combined civic clubs. He might still make up for the disappointment he had suffered at Benton's. He was grateful for permission to say a few words about the shoe fund. He felt particularly kind toward A. B. Chester, chairman of the committee.

It was still early, and the luncheon was to be held in the hotel before which he stood. Mr. Williger stepped inside the lobby. He could sink into a comfortable chair and ponder on his problem.

There would be about two hundred guests, he thought. Men of business, for the most part. It would be no easy task to make them dive deep into their pockets and come up with something tangible. That was what he wanted. Not expressions of moral support nor pledges that did not survive the enthusiasm of the moment. He had experienced all that before.

They began to appear, these men whose generosity he would soon test. He wondered if A. B. Chester would arrive early. He hoped that he would. It might be worth while to have a chat with him before the affair.

A. B. Chester strode into the lobby. Mr. Williger arose to meet him. Shortly afterward, arms in arm, they sought the banquet hall.

Mr. Williger sat down with mixed feelings. The applause which had followed his impassioned plea for aid for the needy was dying down. Then A. B. Chester rose to his feet. "Gentlemen," he began, "you have all heard Mr. Williger's remarks." His voice lifted. "Men, let there be an answer to them—not with words, but with action!"

And, forthwith, A. B. Chester bent low to the floor. When he straightened, he raised his arm over his head. From his hand dangled his shoes. "Here," he cried, "is my contribution!" He bowed, and the shoes down upon the tablecloth with a resounding thump.

Eyes widened in disbelief at what they beheld. A gasp was audible from one side of the room. A laugh from another. Then several voices broke out in unison. "And here's mine!"

Shouts, blended with applause and laughter, filled the hall. "Take mine!" "And mine, too!"

Mr. Williger's face lit up. He was now being helped up and down at all tables. Men grinned. Voices chorused. This was going to be something to be remembered!

Mr. Williger looked bewildered. Here he was—standing in the shoes of the Charities Group. All his for the taking. What publicity this would bring!

A. B. Chester's smile was that of a victor—his glance at Mr. Williger said, "I told you I'd handle them." And now he was drawing out his wallet. He would make a thorough job of it.

Mr. Williger arose abruptly. He must get to a phone.

"Mr. Benton! . . . Williger speaking. I'm here at the hotel. . . . Get ready for a good stock turnover. Some of your old customers. . . . They'll be down any minute. . . . Lots of them. . . . And if you're stocked in socks, get 'em out. . . . They'll need them too. . . . See you later." Mr. Williger could imagine the look on Benton's face.

Hurrying back to the banquet hall, he found A. B. Chester leading a parade of shoeless diners to the elevators. Mr. Williger rushed up to him, gratitude shining in his eyes. A. B. Chester held up his hand. "Say nothing about it, Mr. Williger," he said. "Go back in there and take the shoes away. You'll find money in a jar at your place. And I'd like to tell you," he lowered his voice, "I rather enjoyed all this. You see, I manufacture shoes."

#### WANTED VARIETY

Fifteen Royal Australian Air Force units in North-West Australia formed their own fishing fleet to provide variety in their menu. Each unit nominates its own fishermen and the team is led by a keen amateur angler.

do, if your constipation is due to lack of "bulk" in the diet. Simply eat KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN regularly, and drink plenty of water. This wholesome cereal helps to produce smooth-working "bulk," and prepare wastes for easy elimination. So, to stay regular, eat ALL-BRAN daily, as a cereal or in several ALL-BRAN muffins. Remember, ALL-BRAN is a cereal—not a medicine. Get it at your grocer's. 2 handy sizes. Made by Kellogg's in London, Canada.

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### Who Is She?



A pin-up girl of the male variety, Pte. Bill Dunstan, Regina, Sask., one of the original members of the Tin Hat revue, now playing to the Canadians in Italy.

### British Scientists

Have Developed Many Revolutionary Weapons Of War

The record of British scientists at war has proved them more than worthy of this recognition. Many of the newest and most revolutionary weapons of war—whether defensive or offensive—have been the product of British brains. Meanwhile in other fields research has gone forward, and discoveries have been made which will prove of lasting benefit to the world when the war is over.

Radar, probably the greatest weapon in air warfare, was first discovered and perfected in Britain, and shared with Britain's Allies. In the Battle of Britain it tipped the balance against Germany—and in favor of the whole civilized world.

Since these days Britain has developed many other weapons for air warfare. After Radar came improved anti-aircraft guns, culminating in the now famous secret "Z" rocket gun.

Britain's new air weapons have been just as much offensive as defensive. The "backroom boys," as her scientists are called, have produced bombs which have grown bigger and more powerful every year. Their latest is a 12,000-pounder—so large that experts thought they could never get it inside a filling factory. The application of the degaussing grid to the hulls of ships, thus neutralizing the effect of the German magnetic mine, was equal to a major victory at sea. Within a few weeks British scientists had defeated the menace of what Germany had vaunted as a war-winning weapon.

### SELECTED RECIPES

GRANDMOTHER'S "SUGAR COOKIES"

¾ cup shortening  
¾ cup brown sugar, firmly packed  
¾ cup corn syrup  
2 eggs, well beaten  
1 teaspoon vanilla or lemon extract  
2½ cups sifted all-purpose flour  
¾ cup sifted corn starch  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon cream of tartar  
¾ teaspoon soda

Cream shortening and gradually beat in brown sugar and corn syrup, blending thoroughly. Add beaten eggs and flavouring. Sift dry ingredients together three times and add to cream mixture in five or six additions, working in gradually until all has been used. Roll out thin on a floured board and cut in rounds or other desired shapes. Place on greased baking sheet; bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 12 to 15 minutes. When cool, put together in pairs with jam, jelly, apple butter, etc.; or serve plain. Yield: 4 dozen cookies (about 2½ inches in diameter).

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

## Here a CWAC There a CWAC

Three thousand miles of travel through 3 countries brought Senorita Aileen Barnett to Toronto to enlist in the C.W.A.C.

Her home is in Salinas, San Luis Potosi, Mexico, and she enjoys a dual Mexican and British citizenship. Daughter of an English father and an American mother, Pte. Barnett, a tall, graceful 19-year-old, was born in Salinas. She was educated by a governess at home and attended Bishop Strachan School in Toronto for two years. She graduated from high school in Texas and studied for a year at Texas Teacher's College. Prior to her enlistment in the Corps in February, she was employed as a private secretary for the Salinas of Mexico, a British mining company of which Mr. Barnett is general manager.

Handicrafts—Including everything from amateur camera clubs to making wool-lined moccasins in occupying the spare time of Miss Canada in Khaki in barracks through the Dominion. Materials and working equipment for the majority of these projects are purchased through the Canadian Legion Educational Services. Leather-tooling, knitting, embroidery, clay modelling, pottery making, wood-carving and weaving are only a few of the handicrafts being devised in with great interest by the Army girls.

Versatility—Betty Stevens in No. 29 C.W.A.C. Administrative Unit in Vancouver, B.C., goes the tag of "most versatile CWAC." Betty manages after her regular duty hours to run her unit's paper-single-handed. She does the reporting, editing and printing of the "Puddle Duck," CWAC newspaper in Pacific Command.

Training—Only confirmed regimental sergeant-major in the Canadian Women's Army Corps is tall, handsome R.S.M. Rena Fraser of Edmonton, Alta. Rena is stationed at the C.W.A.C. basic training centre at Kitchener, Ont. Contrary to all Army traditions regarding sergeant-majors, Rena is one of the most popular young women in the huge camp. An able and on-of-the-house enthusiast, she is in addition to her work as R.S.M., captain of the training centre's basketball and softball teams. She has been stationed at Kitchener since November, 1942.

### The Poultry Flock

Must Keep Close Watch To See That Birds Are Healthy

A high degree of health is the greatest asset of the poultry flock. By nature birds are healthy. When they are not, there is a definite cause. The alert poultryman can foresee trouble and in most cases can take steps to prevent it. Some of the signs of departure from the normal or early cessation of production are sharpness of the keel bone when felt by hand, thinness of the abdomen, dryness of the skin, and dullness of the eye. They justify an immediate search for the cause. The very actions of the flock, the way they greet the feeder, their industry, the uniformity of their daily feed consumption and many other things are all indications of health and health to be.

Trapping which entails the handling of the birds every day helps the poultryman to know his flock intimately. The moment a bird slips into his hands, a keen poultryman knows whether that hen is going to continue laying or not. In addition to the head points, the hen feels warm and firm, plump and well-conditioned, with a reserve of soft fat apparent in the abdomen, and with the skin soft and velvety to the touch. Time spent with the birds is time well spent, and enables the poultryman to feel great satisfaction in fulfilling to the letter what he knows to be his first responsibility—the health of his flock.

"It's the Fuehrer's custom," says the German newspaper, "to be absolutely alone for an hour each day. It must seem longer considering who he's with," says PUNCH.

Trees provide almost all the food for natives of the Atolls in the Pacific.

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### Farm Machinery

Farmers Urged To Repair The Binder Now

Farmers are urged to check carefully their binders at the earliest opportunity, and to order needed repairs without delay so that every binder, old or new, should be in the best possible condition for the beginning of harvest.

The Dominion Department of Agriculture advises that particular attention should be paid to the binding attachment to ensure trouble-free operation and reduce loss of time during harvest.

Be sure that the binder knottor is in first-class condition and is kept in proper adjustment. Where grooves have been worn in the twine guides these should be filed out smooth. A badly grooved bind-book should be replaced.

The twine knife should be replaced if worn down, and it should be kept sharp for best operation. This is particularly important this year as the binder twine produced for 1944 will contain 12½ per cent. jute in the fibre. However, the quality of the 1944 wartime binder twine is the very best that can be manufactured from the wartime materials available. Field tests made under normal farm conditions, without special adjustment of the binder, indicate that with ordinary care all binders in reasonable repair can use this wartime twine.

### Looking For Booty

Huns Desecrated Graves Of Bishops In Russian Cathedral

According to a U.S.S.R. bulletin the Germans knew that in ancient times Novgorod princes and bishops were buried under the floor of the Cathedral, with their crosses and precious jewels. In their search for these treasures, the Hitlerites tore up the flagstones and desecrated the graves. The remains of the Novgorod princes and archbishops have disappeared. The Nazi ghoulies removed them with their robes and valuables.

### CANNOT BE BLAMED

Much is said from time to time—and rightly, we think—of the horridly inelegant habit of chewing tobacco. But, says the Ottawa Citizen, in all fairness, has it ever been known to start a bush fire? And can as much be said of the more socially accepted cigarette? Or Paw's pipe?

### Clothing Exchanges

Mobile Exchanges For Children's Clothing In Great Britain

Children's Clothing Exchanges had not been long in existence in Britain before the need to adapt them for rural districts was realized. Village women found it next to impossible to come into the towns with their children, and the idea of setting up small static Exchanges in the villages themselves was impracticable. Clothing cannot be exchanged indefinitely within a tiny community where everyone knows each other. The Mobile Exchanges have solved such problems.

### This Week's Pattern



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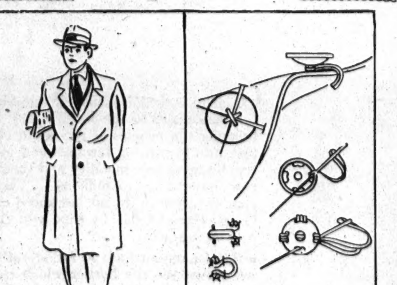
Joel Poinsett, American minister to Mexico in 1825, who brought the first plants back to the United States, gave his name to the poinsettia.

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Blaimore, Alta., Friday, June 9, 1944

WED BETTER FATTEN UP  
THE WORKHORSE AGAIN

The idea at Ottawa, these past fifteen years or more, has been to hold back from the good old mining horse a little more each year of the hay and oats he helps grow. The government has gone on the assumption that he won't notice the deprivation if it is withdrawn in small if increasing amounts. He'll continue to feed well nourished and will provide his accustomed stint to the rational welfare. But bit by bit this useful work animal has been brought close to the point of starvation. He's been getting skinnier and skinnier and his old bones are beginning to show here and there. By making a warhorse out of him and putting him on extra delivery

jobs, we've pursued the process of working him to death, and on diminishing rations.

Because he raises his droopy head and frisky gambols among the drills in the lush golden fields of Quebec and Yellowknife is a sign that there's a spark of life in his old frame still. But it doesn't say that he can stand the long hard pull ahead unless he's permitted to feed regularly, and well.

Remembering that it was the mining horse that pulled this country out of the depression, and that we shall need his full and faithful services in the years to come, when new debts and new problems will have to be dragged along in this country, various boards of trade and similar bodies have been passing resolutions requesting the Ottawa government to see to it, please, that the mining workhorse be handed more fodder. These requests follow the lines recommended by the Ontario Mining Commission. And now the Ontario government itself, we are happy to note, has made the same request to Ottawa. Besides being a compliment to the commission—in its complete acceptance of its taxation views—the movement recognizes the great truth of what the commission's report said: "The mining industry is living on the fat of other years."

What the commission urged, and what the resolutions likewise urge, is that the successful units of the industry be given larger allowances for wastage of ore and wastage of venture capital, along with a more equitable distribution of the levies of taxing authorities. In short: a little more food for the future sustenance of this willing horse, in order that he'll be able to pull his share of the load—

and a bigger share than ever.

Ottawa should not let itself continue to imagine that it is the excessive duties of the war that alone afflict this patient animal. Ottawa underfed and overworked him for years before the war. He could do, right now, with a good stimulating shot of encouragement.

"V"  
A SOLDIER WRITES  
AN EDITORIAL

What we consider to be one of the most timely and expressive letters to reach The Courier editor's desk in a long while arrived in Tuesday morning's mail. It came all the way from the battle front in Italy and was written by a native son of Cranbrook—one of the many fine young men who have gone forth willing to sacrifice everything, if need be, in order that their homeland and loved ones might remain free.

The letter, written on May 6th, might be better described as an editorial. Its contents serve to illustrate the thoughts and hopes that pass through the minds of many of our fighting men as they address themselves to the stern and bloody battles in far-off lands. There is no thought

of self—only concern that those "back home" will do something worth while to perpetuate the memory of those gallant men who find a grave on some foreign battlefield.

It is with profound regret we receive the official news that, since the letter was written, its author has sustained serious wounds in action.—The Cranbrook Courier.

"V"  
PRICES OF BEEF ADJUSTED

Thrifty housewives are able to buy chuck roasts and other front-quarter beef cuts about four cents a pound cheaper under new Prices Board beef ceilings effective as from June 6th. Retail costs of hind quarters are increased by an adjustment in price levels aimed at a better balance in meat consumption.

Beef price charts in all meat stores carry the new prices in strips of white figures on a black background.

"So you're on a minesweeper?" said auntie. "How thrilling that must be! Tell me, where do you sweep the mines?" "Oh, just around the top and sides," murmured her sailor nephew. "You know—where the dust settles."

## STRAWBERRY TEA AND SALE

The Strawberry Tea and Sale of Home Cooking

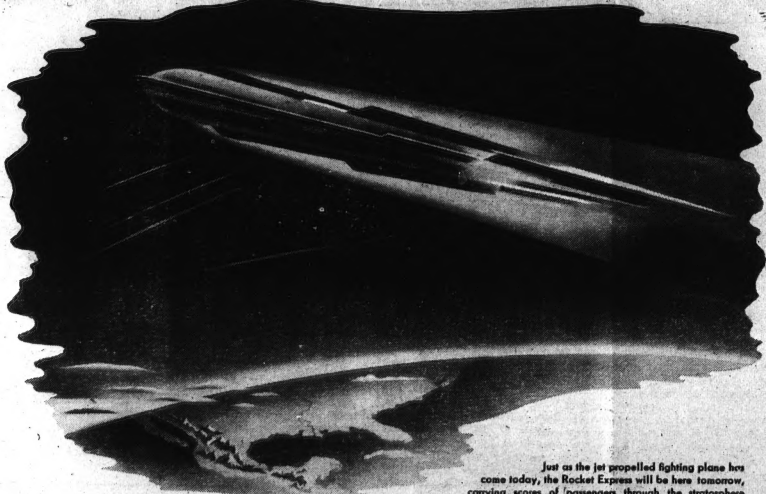
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Great as is the gift which air transportation has made to the world today . . . bringing the peoples of the world closer together, expediting business and industry, bringing new mobility and therefore new opportunity to millions . . . a still greater future in the air lies ahead of us, being planned today by MEN WHO THINK OF TOMORROW!

• But let us not look so far ahead that we cannot see the barrier which stands before us today. There is a war to win . . . first! And the winning of the war calls for every ounce of energy that we, as a

nation and as individuals, can muster.

• Look to tomorrow, yes. But today . . . stick to the job of producing for war, cooperate with every government program designed to help win the war, buy Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates with every last dollar.

• That's the way to make sure that Canada will have its future.

• Let's all be MEN WHO THINK OF TOMORROW!

THE HOUSE OF SEAGRAM

All Seagram plants in Canada and the United States are engaged in the production of high-proof alcohol to help speed the war to a victorious end. High-proof Alcohol for War is used in Smokeless Powder, Plastics and many other wartime products.

Beer parlors in Winnipeg closed in observance of D-Day.

C. E. French, of Calmar, is the new president of the Alberta Elks' Association.

Miss Margaret Patterson left for Calgary on Sunday, where she enters Mount Royal College.

More than ten thousand Germans were reported killed in the fighting north of Iasi, Roumania, between May 30 and June 6.

Alex. Walker, of Calgary, has been re-elected Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, BESL, for a third term by acclamation.

Weather conditions were so dry last year that lumberjacks were forced to come to town week ends for a drink or two. Now it's different, they say.

Big baseball game at the local sports grounds this evening at 6.15 that you should see. Hillcrest-Belleuve and Blaimore teams are the competitors.

At the recent convocation at the University of Alberta no less than 450 degrees were conferred. A complete list may be seen at The Enterprise office.

Mr. Charles Emmerson, who has been patient in the Calgary general hospital for some time, has returned to his home at Bellevue, somewhat improved in health.

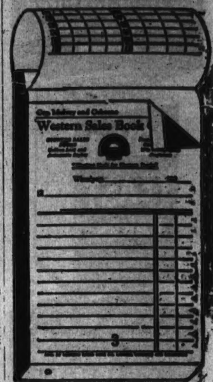
About seventy members of Coleman and Blaimore Elk lodges attended the big rally in Macleod on Wednesday night, and report having had a right royal time.

One of the most attractive (7) sights on our streets today is the clean-shaven chin and the exposed hairy chests. Awards are not being offered for the best display as yet.

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I dreamed that I paid \$5.00 for a haircut and \$50.00 for a pair of cardboard shoes. I dreamed that we had no wartime controls on prices, profits or wages, and that we hadn't had the sense to organize the distribution of supplies all the way down the line...



I dreamed that because everyone was making more money and spending it, prices were skyrocketing.



all the stores looked like "fire" sales... with people scrambling to buy before prices went still higher...



panicky people were buying things they didn't need, and hoarding everything they could get their hands on...



I dreamed that everybody had to fight to get more money... and that in this mad race, wages and salaries were falling behind.



I dreamed the hand of everyone was against his neighbour, with each of us blaming the other fellow for his troubles.



with everybody for himself... no matter what it cost in the long run... and no matter how it hurt the war effort.

## THEN... THANK GOODNESS - I WOKE UP!



to realize with relief that I live in a country where things are sane and stable... where the cost of living has been kept within bounds.



to realize that prices and wages—production costs and selling prices—are inseparably linked together.



to realize that without the safeguards that have headed off inflation, my nightmare might have become a reality!



to remind myself that the danger is still pressing and that we must continue to hold firm... and that means everybody must play fair and do his part by not trying to get some temporary, fabled advantage at the expense of his fellow-Canadians.

This advertisement is one of a series being issued by the Government of Canada to emphasize the importance of preventing further increases in the cost of living now and deflation later.



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## Commonwealth Of Nations

ALTHOUGH IT IS NOW SOME TIME since the British Commonwealth premiers met in London, there is still considerable discussion and comment concerning that important gathering. One point which appears to have impressed all who followed the proceedings of the conference, was the complete unanimity of opinion among the Prime Ministers in respect to the continued unity of the Empire. Mr. Churchill, in his recent speech during the House of Commons debate on foreign affairs, stated that "nothing was more remarkable than the cordial agreement expressed by every one of the Dominion Prime Ministers in the general conduct of our foreign affairs and the principles which govern that conduct." Referring to the discussions which took place at the Conference, Mr. Churchill observed that "there was revealed a core of agreement which will enable the British Empire and Commonwealth to meet in discussion with other organisms in the world in firmly united array."

### A Basis For World Unity

Commenting on the same subject, Mr. Herbert Morrison, British Home Secretary, said: "The degree of goodwill, commonsense, enlightenment, and co-operation the Prime Ministers showed was extraordinary"; while Premier Mackenzie King, in his statement regarding the conference, given before the Canadian Parliament, reported that "the entire proceedings were marked by a degree of unanimity and determination that it would be impossible to exaggerate." While it has been admitted that there were small differences of opinion in some matters, there was no difficulty in eliminating these during the course of the discussions. It now appears that this accord which has been reached in regard to the conduct of the Empire's foreign policy, may be a basis for the opening of wider discussions with other countries on these questions, and may lead the way toward a world unity which will be necessary to a lasting peace.

### Empire Bonds Still Strong

It was made apparent at the conference that Canada is gaining prestige and importance in world affairs, and that she intends to fulfil her obligations in this connection to the best of her ability. It was a vigorous denial of the rumors which are frequently circulated, hinting that there is disunity within the Empire. The rumors come largely from sources outside of the Empire and from people who have little understanding of the bonds which unite this great family of nations. These bonds are as strong now as they have ever been, and they join together people who, although they are scattered over many parts of the world, have the same concept of freedom and human liberties, a concept which began with the signing of the Magna Carta in 1215, and still endures.

### Getting Posted

"Info Rooms" Held in Training Canada's Soldiers

In the army today a trained Canadian soldier has to have a thorough knowledge of a great variety of subjects.

Since the beginning of the year the army has set up "info rooms." These information rooms are now or will soon be a part of every training centre in Canada. And it is the never-ending job of the officer in charge to revise maps, collate all available information and try to keep abreast of the changing war scene.

Pictures of all known Nazi uniforms, allied and enemy tanks and planes are found there; maps showing the situation in any given war area; sand table models to facilitate teaching of map reading. The "info room" in a Canadian training centre is of valuable assistance to the knowledge which every well-trained soldier must have.

### GETTING READY

Tokyo, preparing for Allied bombing of Japan, has evacuated non-essential persons from the city and leveled inflammable wooden structures near war industries to reduce the fire hazard, a German correspondent stationed there cabled Berlin recently.

Magnesium is the lightest of structural metals, being one-third lighter than aluminum.

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### Shortage Of Wood

Munitions Minister Urges People To Prepare For Next Winter

Munitions Minister Howe warned in a statement that despite the mildness of last winter and the improvement in stocks Canada faces the possibility of a shortage of wood fuel next winter.

To help prevent such a shortage, Mr. Howe urged that every community in a wood-burning area examine its local situation at once and if necessary take immediate steps to build up stocks. He suggested also that every household burning wood should, if at all possible, buy his wood at once and store it for use next winter.

The minister said the period for payment of the \$1 per cord production subsidy on fuel wood will be extended to Sept. 30, 1944.

### GEMS OF THOUGHT

#### FRATERNITY

The longing for fraternity can never be satisfied but under the sway of a common Father.—Benjamin Disraeli.

They helped every one his neighbor, and every one said to his brother, Be of good courage.—Isaiah 41:8.

Only when all the concerns of humanity are threatened, is the common humanity of man present to the minds of all.—Erwin Edman.

Being reproached for giving to an unworthy person, Aristotle said, "I did not give it to the man, but to humanity."—Johnson.

Love for mankind is the elevator of the human race; it demonstrates Truth and reflects divine Love.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Thou our Father, Christ our brother, All who live in love are thine; Teach us how to love each other, Lift us to the joy divine.

—Henry Van Dyke.

By painting the sound track on the disc, it now is possible to make films accompanied by sounds that have never been uttered.

### Hold The Line

Farm Women Are Given Salute By The Nation

Women guerrillas from farms and villages in lands over the seas are winning decorations for fighting the enemy. In Canada, too, the farm women are needed as guerrillas to battle another foe, which threatens home and country. Its name is "inflation."

The nation has honored all women on the farms and in cities and towns for their fight against inflation by holding "Mrs. Consumer Week" now, under the leadership of their national presidents, groups across the land have pledged themselves anew to carry on the battle through all the other weeks of the year, never ceasing in their efforts. With Canada's appreciation to inspire them, there's a new lift to the daily duty of checking prices, scrupulously observing rationing, helping find the money for the goods needed in an all-out war, and putting dollars and quarters into war savings.

Now that the war is moving so swiftly to its great climax, reports reaching Ottawa say that women throughout the country are more determined than ever to do their duty and help keep Canada sound and stable now and for the time when the boys come home.

### C.W.A.C. Officer

Capt. Madeleine Nation Is Promoted To The Acting Rank Of Major

Promotion of Capt. Madeleine H. Nation, of Vancouver, B.C., to the acting rank of Major in the Canadian Women's Army Corps was announced as District C.W.A.C. Officer, Pacific Command, Vancouver, was announced at National Defence Headquarters.

Previous to her new appointment Major Nation was employed as District C.W.A.C. Officer in Military District No. 3, Kingston, Ontario.

Enlisting in 1942, Major Nation assisted in the development of the C.W.A.C. She received her commission at the same time as her daughter, Lieut. Barbara Nation at a graduation in St. Anne de Bellevue, Que., in September 1942. She was employed, first as Company Commander No. 3 Company, Montreal, and later as Recruiting Officer for Military District No. 4 with headquarters in Montreal. In July, 1943, she was promoted to the rank of Captain and her posting to Kingston followed in November of that year.

Major Nations son is on active service with the Royal Canadian Navy and her daughter, Barbara, is now serving Overseas with the C.W.A.C.

### Malaria Mosquito

Deadly War Is Being Waged On The Home Front

War against the deadly malaria mosquito is being waged on the home front. In Canada health authorities are beginning to worry that the disease, which has been dormant for more than half a century, may be brought back to Canada by returning troops from the Mediterranean area; that men who have recovered from the disease may pass on the bug by way of the mosquitoes here, known as Anopheles.

Already malaria control is being carried out extensively in the United States by dusting mosquito areas from airplanes and the use of oil on stagnant water.

"Miss Ann", which is the soldier's name for the Anopheles malaria-carrying mosquito, breeds fast on warm Spring days and in water allowed to stagnate after seasonal rains. And because this fragile-appearing, but deadly mosquito is responsible for this war's worst disease, U.S. health authorities have begun their greatest offensive to exterminate her.

### STILL THE YARDSTICK

Will gold come back? The economists and the politicians are busy debating that question. The fact is, says the Lethbridge Herald, we can't eat gold and we can't wear gold, but most of us would trade any of our surpluses for gold. It is still the yardstick of money value in the minds of most people.

The majority of Finland's more than 3,500,000 people make their living by farming and dairying.

### YOU WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM HOT FLASHES

If you suffer from hot flashes, dizzy spells, irregular periods, are weak, nervous—due to the "middle-age" period in a woman's life, Dr. L. E. S. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped thousands of women to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound is also a true stomach tonic! Worth trying! Made in Canada.

## Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—Where can I exchange "B" coupons for preserves coupons?

A.—The first five "B" coupons, which became valid on May 25, can be exchanged for preserves coupons if you do not wish to purchase canning sugar. These coupons can be exchanged at your nearest local ration board office. The second five "B" coupons become valid on July 6.

Q.—I have a small shop and would like to take over more floor space which is available in the building. Where should I apply for a permit?

A.—Permits are no longer required when an existing business changes ownership, acquires additional floor space or moves to other premises. Permits are still required, however, for the formation of a new business. It is also necessary when moving to a new location to surrender the existing Price and Trade Board license to the nearest local office of the Board so they may issue a new license with the correct address.

Q.—What is the charge for the book with instructions for remaking clothes?

A.—There is no charge for this booklet. A copy of "Female Wrinkles" has been forwarded to you. It contains many helpful suggestions for extending your wartime wardrobe up to date.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book (the "how to" guide for getting your selling prices) mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

### SMILE AWHILE

"When I was travelling in Russia they showed me a bed twenty feet long."

"Well, I dunno—sounds like a lot of bunk to me."

The man who pokes fun at a woman trying to drive through a 13-foot garage door usually soars up when he tries to thread a needle.

I like the one about the man who was doing a Home Guard test. "What is the best way to immobilize your car?" the instructor asked.

"Let my wife drive it," he replied.

A businessman thought his staff rather lazy and indifferent, so he planned up the following notice:

"Bread is the staff of life, but that is no reason why the life of our staff should be one continual loaf."

Mistress: What do you think of the new electric fire, Jack?

"Oh, it is wonderful. I lit it last night and it hasn't gone out yet!"

"Where did Mabel get that awful hat?"

"She won't tell. I think it's a millinery secret."

"Theodore, what do you have to do when you draw some money out of a bank?" asked an innocent young wife. "You have to put some money in the bank beforehand," replied the husband. "That's always been my experience."

First Sailor (on first convey duty): "Did you ever see so much water in all your life?"

Second Sailor (a veteran): "You haven't see nothin'. That's only the top."

Midge: "Jim's proposal was so sudden it made me jump."

Madge: "At it?"

Mr. De Playwright: "I will never, never submit to the vulgar demands of modern commercialism."

Wife: "Oh, Reginald! Do not tell me that you cannot pay the butcher bill this month."

Friend—Did you really get the Goldlocks estate settled up?

Lawyer Scallop—Yes, finally; but I had quite a fight. The heirs almost got a part of it.

Gert—Poor man! He suffers from matrimonial dyspepsia.

Myrt—What's that?

Gert—Oh, his wife doesn't agree with him.

### GROW POP CORN

Popcorn has become popular as a crop with many prairie gardeners and commercial corn growers. The shortage and high price of peanuts is said to be one of the reasons.

New type flying goggles permit observers to look directly at the sun and spot enemy planes.

## Chosen by thousands OF BUSY CANADIAN HOUSEWIVES



Kellogg's cereals have an important place in Canada's kitchens—now, more than ever. Appetizing anytime—for breakfast, lunch, between meal snacks. Add flavour to 'leftover' dishes, too!

It's whole wheat flaked, toasted ready-to-eat!

Save Time... Save Work... Save Fuel!

### Beware Grass Fires

Every Care Should Be Taken To Protect Your Property

In view of the imminent danger to farm buildings and cottages near grassland, grass should not be burned. It is safer to mow it or cut down the weeds, pile them up, and cart them away. In cases where it is necessary to burn, the following precautions should be taken, no matter how free from danger the circumstances appear to be: Never allow children to do this work alone. Even when under supervision, children should not be the only members of the party. grown-up neighbours should be asked to help. Make certain that each member of the crew has a rake, a shovel, or a broom, or other appliance to beat out fire. Always have close at hand pails of water, if a creek or other water is not near. Before starting the fire, make sure that all grass is thoroughly raked from around buildings so that fire cannot reach them. Never leave the burnt-out place without being certain that the fire is out, and if the fire had been set in the early evening, it is a safe plan to take another look at the place before going to bed.

ENGAGE IN INDUSTRIAL WORK  
Out-work is on the increase in Britain. Latest figures gave 40,000 persons engaged on industrial work in private home and other makeshift out-work depots, 17,000 in London alone. They work on the average of 22 hours a week; their output is good, and the quality high. Part-time factory workers now number nearly a million.

MANY PARTS IN AEROPLANE  
There are as many as 70,000 different pieces and shapes of fabricated materials in a single aircraft.

When going to sea, red salmon float last first.

### Post-War Plans

British Government Has Sweeping Plans For Finding Jobs For All

The United Kingdom government in a white paper announced sweeping plans for getting Britons back to work after the war finding jobs for all and beating the bugbear of a post-war slump.

It made the hopeful assertion there will be no problem of general unemployment in the years immediately after the end of the war in Europe.

The white paper was issued by the minister of reconstruction, Lord Woolton. One phase of the government's policy it indicated, is to co-operate actively with the other nations, firstly for the re-establishment of general economic stability after the shocks of war and next for the progressive expansion of trade.

Two other main points of the government's programme to beat unemployment are firstly planned spending on public works to check the onset of a depression in which a co-ordinating body under the cabinet will be set up to control expenditure on the programmes of public authorities five years ahead, and secondly, concerted action between the treasury and banks to influence the volume of capital expenditure by variations in the rate of interest.

### DISLIKE TERM

Protesting that the term "pension" in the Canadian Pensions Act "carries with it the connotation of a hireling, a dependant or one in receipt of an income as an act of grace," the National Council of Veterans' Associations in Canada meeting at Toronto urged that the word be eliminated. Substitution of "compensation" was urged.

On a hot summer's day, it's not the shower that brings cooler weather, it's the cooler air that brings the shower.

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## Must Unite To Maintain Peace Declares Curtin

OTTAWA.—The spokesman for a bastion of freedom in the Pacific, Prime Minister John Curtin of Australia, said in an address that he looked beyond the war to continued collaboration of the British Commonwealth, the United States, Russia and China in maintaining peace.

Speaking without notes and sometimes with striking gestures, Mr. Curtin stood in the green chamber of the Canadian commons and declared himself the spokesman of the common man in asking that the light of reason rather than the sword be the instrument of government.

A Labor man, he spoke with sadness of "vast" armies being taken from useful production to fight other vast armies, leaving their people at home to bear double burdens.

Quietly, precisely, he traced the development of German despotism, the movement of the Japanese "assault in the dark," both of them evil forces against whom the war must be carried until they are "forever destroyed".

Sometimes his words were drowned in applause from the assembled senators and commoners, as when he spoke in admiration of the people of the United Kingdom and of the Russians.

Canadians had praised Australian fighting men, and this had been done "handomely" by Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative house leader, who welcomed him.

"But here in this place may I now pay tribute to what the Canadian fighting man did, to what the Canadian airman did," he continued. Mr. Curtin said Australians had gone into the war because they knew that in fighting for world freedom and in defence of Britain they were in fact fighting for the defence of their own country.

The worst evil which could come to the world was that millions of people useful in production had to be set apart in armies to fight other armies.

"Upon the great nations, then, surely there falls the responsibility of making it clear that that association which war has meant for us, meant for Russia, meant for the United States, meant for the British Commonwealth, these three great powers, together with China... these four who have subscribed themselves to the charter, means that their great resources involve also high responsibilities," said Mr. Curtin.

"What is their major responsibility? Just as they could agree and find ways and means to pool their strength to resist a brutal foe who threatened their homes, their liberties and the sovereignty of their peoples in their own affairs, so surely this strength, so prodigious in the present service of freedom, is a strength which can be maintained and made use of in order to prevent a recurrence of calamities such as Hitler and his Axis collaborators have forced upon an unwilling and indeed victimized world."

It would give Australians great pleasure to know they were so highly regarded by a sister dominion, and it would give them stimulus and encouragement to carry through to the conclusion of the fight against the enemies of freedom, so they could not regenerate conditions such as those now being fought, Mr. Curtin said.

## LIVING ALLOWANCE

Increase To Workers Who Are Directed To New Jobs

OTTAWA.—Increased supplementary living allowances to workers directed to new jobs were authorized in an order-in-council tabled in the commons by Labor Minister Mitchell. The order, which amends selective service regulations, enabled selective service officers to authorize payment of a supplementary allowance up to \$7.50 a week to workers who in the new jobs to which they were directed were required to live away from their dependents. The previous regulations provided for supplementary allowances of \$5 a week.

## PRISONERS WELL TREATED

LONDON.—A German war reporter in a broadcast from Calais said that German prisoners of war recently repatriated described their treatment in English camps as "not the whole correct and fair and in accordance with the Geneva convention." "The same was said about prisoners' camps in Canada," the broadcaster continued.

## Watching Progress Of Battle



General Sir Harold Alexander, Allied commander in Italy, follows the progress of the Allied assault from a position on the 8th Army front.

## Royal Navy Has Gained Mastery Of Arctic Ocean

LONDON.—The Royal Navy has gunned and bombed its way to what appears to be hand-on mastery of the Arctic ocean, clear to Russia and for more than 100 days, has been sweeping-free from enemy attack—the very shadows of the Norwegian coast.

I have just returned from four months with the fleet and have seen that the Allies have won the battle of the Arctic as conclusively as that in the Atlantic.

It can be disclosed that U-boat assaults on Allied shipping in the north have been smashed. German plane attacks have at least temporarily ceased completely. The German surface navy has been hampered until it is questionable whether it now constitutes more than a feeble potential threat.

On supply routes which barely a year ago were so filled with U-boats that torpedoes "ran in grooved tracks" German submarine attacks have dwindled in effectiveness until the U-boats sunk outnumber the Allied vessels lost.

The Royal Navy is now using tactics like those paying heavy dividends in the Atlantic. They cover the ships with aircraft carriers as well as warship escorts, sometimes making their runs without a single loss.

Meanwhile, carrier-borne and R.A.F.-R.C.A.F. land-based aerial attacks on the Germans' Norwegian bases and coastal supply lines awaiting possible participation in have been increased during the past 40 days to the greatest pitch of the war.

The fleet facing the Germans for the final showdown of the European war is one of the finest fighting outfits ever assembled. It now has the weight, equipment and strength required to hold the upper hand. As one young lieutenant-commander expressed it: "We have enough stuff to wear a groove in the water."

## TO SAVE CHINA

Road Must Be Built Within The Next Six Months

VANCOUVER.—The Allies have only six months in which to push through a road that will provide the extremely necessary stream of supplies to China, Most Rev. Paul Yu-Pin, Roman Catholic bishop of Nanking, said in an interview here. The tall Manchurian-born bishop is in Vancouver toward the end of a year-long aerial tour of the world. There was danger that Japanese troops will sever China, dividing her into two parts doubling the task of the Allies in driving them out of China, Bishop Yu-Pin said.

## MANY DEATH CLAIMS

MONTREAL.—Relatives of the 15 persons who were killed April 26 when a Liberator bomber crashed in the downtown area here, claimed more than \$68,000 damage before Mr. Justice Orville B. Tyndale, appointed special commissioner to hear the demands.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

## TEXT BOOKS

Advocate History Book That Would Be Acceptable To All Provinces

OTTAWA.—Preparation of a "fair, broadminded, authorized textbook" of Canadian history was advocated by Senator Rupert Davies, (L., Ontario) in the senate.

Senator Davies spoke in support of a motion by Senator L. A. David (L., Quebec) proposing that the coming Dominion-provincial conference appoint a committee to prepare a textbook of Canadian history acceptable to all provinces.

"I do feel we need a change," said Senator Davies. "In Canada today, including French schools in Quebec, we are using in our public and high schools more than 20 different histories of this country."

## German Gestapo Launches A New Wave Of Terror

LONDON.—The German gestapo pressed a ferocious new wave of terror in France, The Netherlands and Belgium with mass shootings and arrests of the patriots on whom the Allied invasion command has called to assist the coming liberation armies.

This ruthless blood-letting, reported by the French press service in London, offered new evidence of possible fitters within Germany-held Europe and contrasted with the calm confidence evidenced in the invasion base of Britain.

The French underground reported the "complete ravaging" of the Dordogne department when the Nazis surrounded the towns of Ribereac and "piled into trucks 100 Frenchmen from whom nothing more has been heard."

"All inhabitants found on the road leading to Ribereac were shot on the spot," the report said, "and the Germans set fire to a forest where many people were gathering wood. The people were burned alive."

The same day, the account continued, 26 hostages were shot at Brantome and the bodies were left in the public square 24 hours. At St. Quentin 27 persons were slain in reprisal for shooting the collaborationist mayor. In Belgium 20 were slain for an attempt on the lives of two Walloon quislings, the Belgian news agency reported.

British newspapers displayed prominently a Washington announcement that the United States was producing a plane every five minutes and another announcement by James Forrestal, United States navy secretary, that there now are enough landing craft to carry the entire invasion army over the waters to Hitler's Europe.

India has the largest single steel plant in the British Empire.

## U-Boat Champ



Captain F. J. (Johnny) Walker, triple holder of the Distinguished Service Order and the British Royal Navy's champion enemy submarine killer. Walker commanded the five British naval sloops which scored the war's greatest single-patrol victory of the battle of the Atlantic by sinking six German submarines within 20 days.

## WAR IN PACIFIC

More Than 5,000 Japanese Dead On New Guinea Invasion Sector

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea. — More than 5,000 Japanese dead have been counted at two Netherlands New Guinea invasion sectors, Hollandia and Wakde-Toem, headquarters reported.

The larger total, 3,782, was listed for the Hollandia area, invaded April 22. Another 1,347 enemy dead were listed for the Wakde-Toem sector, more than 100 miles northwest of Hollandia.

LONDON.—The Transport and General Workers' Union is urging the withdrawal of gas-producer road passenger vehicles. The union alleges they cause physical discomfort and sometimes mild illness.

## Allied Admiral Reviews War In The Pacific

AUCKLAND, N.Z.—Admiral William F. Halsey, Allied commander in the south Pacific, in a review of fighting in the Pacific said: "If the Jap's back is not broken his spine is severely bent."

In an interview here he said damage inflicted upon the Japanese by the south Pacific command was in the neighborhood of 4,800 planes destroyed, 150,000 Japanese killed "and so many ships destroyed or damaged I cannot count them."

The American admiral, visiting New Zealand for the second time since he assumed the southwest Pacific command, said:

"In the whole south Pacific, including Bougainville, there now are only about 15,000 Japanese of whom no more than 2,000 are effective. We can now say of the Pacific generally that if the Jap's back is not broken his spine is severely bent." Allied forces established a beachhead on Bougainville Island more than a year ago but there has been no word of heavy fighting in that sector for many weeks.

Admiral Halsey recalled that 19 months ago he had only a "shoe-string," but added this had since grown to "a large-sized boot."

After the Battle of the Solomons, No. 13, 1942, he said he had available one injured aircraft carrier, one injured battleship, one uninjured cruiser and only a few destroyers. But "the Jap was given such a drubbing he did not come back."

He added: "The Jap is really a small man and he can be easily dislodged with our big foot."

The admiral said New Zealand fighting men a warm compliment. "If there are any better fighting men in the world I would like to know where they are," he continued. "Anybody who does not use them is just a plain fool. I hope to meet them in Tokyo if I am lucky enough to be there myself."

## A NEW RECORD

Likely To Be Attained By Canadian Trade This Year

OTTAWA.—On the basis of imports and exports during the first four months of 1944, Canadian trade this year is likely to attain a new record in excess of \$5,000,000,000, Trade Minister Mackinnon said.

Last year, total Canadian trade was valued at \$4,736,428,169, a record.

"The first four months of any year in Canada's trade are usually lighter than in the succeeding months of the year, so that the outlook at present is that Canadian trade by December will be considerably in excess of the \$5,000,000,000 mark. This is regarded as a conservative estimate."

The balance of trade in favor of Canada during the first four months of 1944 amounted to \$498,868,000, compared with \$245,128,000 in the corresponding period of last year.

## WHEAT RECEIVED

Red Cross Officials Say Canadian Shipments Reached Greek People

OTTAWA.—Trade Minister Mackinnon said in the commons that the federal government had received assurance from Red Cross officials that wheat shipments from Canada have all reached the people of Greece.

Mr. Mackinnon said that up to April ninth more than 11,000,000 bushels of wheat had been shipped to Greece and persons in close touch with the situation said the wheat had not fallen into Nazi hands.

The wheat was saving many people from starvation.

## AUSTRALIAN POSTAL SERVICE

CANBERRA. — Thirty-two per cent of the personnel of the Australian postal service now consists of women. They work as letter-carriers, motor drivers, machine telegraphists, mail sorters and post office assistants.

## LEND-LEASE FOOD

WASHINGTON.—The war food administration reported that more than 11,000,000 tons of American food has been turned over to the Allies since the first consignment of lend-lease food reached Great Britain three years ago.

LONDON.—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower returned to headquarters from a field inspection of Canadian troops with Lt.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, commander of the 1st Canadian army. The Allied Gen. praised the Canadians on their battle fitness. 2871

## His Majesty Inspects Canadians



The King inspects Canadian Guard of Honor. During his recent tour and inspection of Canadian troops in England, this Guard of Honor, consisting of men of a Canadian Highland unit, were drawn up at a unit headquarters.

## These Three Conduct Big Italian Assault



Allied generals who are directing the assault in Italy, are pictured here close to the front. They are, left to right, Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean theatre of war; Lt.-Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of the Allied Fifth Army, and Lt.-Gen. Jacob L. Devers, deputy commander-in-chief.



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## BUY War Savings Stamps and Certificates

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Mrs. J. Montalbetti spent the week end with her brother, Francis, and Mrs. Frey at Pincher Creek.

Major Robert E. Lucy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lucy, of Calgary, was created an MBE in the King's latest honor list.

All men on postponement from military call-up, whether employed in essential or non-essential industries, will be interviewed immediately with a view to placing them in the forces.

The annual meeting of the Bellevue Rod and Gun Club was held on the evening of May 26th, when many important matters were discussed, including the proposition to place Kamloops trout in Crows' Nest Lake, ammunition for fall shooting and winter fishing in Lee lake.

Trout fishing opens on Friday, June 16th. There seems to be an impression that it opens June 15th, but this is one day too early, and is the broad highway to \$20 and costs, disgrace, confiscation or maybe mouldering in jail for a lifetime. So remember the opening date, all ye fishermen—Friday, June 16. The per diem limit is 20 fish.

## Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Please items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Thirty-two years ago, Capt. W. A. Beebe, of Blairmore, walked to Macleod and back.

Since our last week's issue only eleven dandelions have blossomed in town.

An exchange says: "Do write letters to loved ones—Canada needs the paper."

Mrs. P. Chardon moved into her new residence at the west corner of Eighth Avenue and State Street this week.

Mr. Jacques, of Calgary, has been visitor for about a week with his visitor for a bout a week with his daughter here, Mrs. R. K. Millie.

So many fences are being built in up and down style that planes passing through here are obliged to make an occasional jump.

Contrary to some of the displays at the grocer's toward the end of the day, the fruit and vegetables on the ladies' hats always look crisp and fresh—Ex.

Gus Capino returned last week from a two weeks' holiday visit to the Pacific coast. At Vancouver he ran across Ralph Rossi and his mother, and quite a number of former Blairmore and Pass oldtimers.

The second week in February there passed through the station at Metz, France, travelling in the direction of Germany, two train loads of cattle cars carrying French prisoners from the maquis, all of them completely nude.

At Theole at the end of February 48 villas were broken into by the Gestapo. Linens, bedding, furniture and bathroom fixtures were all heaped into German trucks and taken to the Bocca district. German soldiers then placed all the loot in cars going to Germany.

Unlike some mimeograph rags, The Enterprise does not beg for news, but guarantees that anything received will be made readable and worth while sending anywhere. News items are acceptable any time, and cost nothing unless they are of an advertising nature.

Major-General A. E. Nash, 62, who enlisted as a private in the First Great War and was recently named inspector general of the Canadian Army for central Canada, died in Montreal Sunday from head injuries sustained a few weeks ago. He was a former North Alberta homesteader.

In our last week's issue we stated that Mr. and Mrs. Smith had taken up residence in the Morrison house at Coleman. We understand now that it is the McBurney residence. Both Mr. and Mrs. Smith are greatly missed from Blairmore, having been active in church, Sunday school and general community life. We wish them well in their new vocational surroundings.

Lee Gilchrist, well known hotels inspector for this section of Alberta, died at Lethbridge Monday morning, aged 56. Mr. Gilchrist had been in failing health for some time and had visited the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., for treatment. He visited Blairmore quite recently. He is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter.

A mass vaccination of all persons living in the district west of Redcliff and south of the railway line has been arranged for, in view of the spotted fever cases there, one of which has been fatal. A health crew will comb the underbrush of the district, gathering wood ticks and examining them for infection. The bite of the adult wood tick which has become infected injects the organism of the disease into the human blood stream.

The Allies invaded France from the north on Tuesday morning.

A. R. Miller, of Lundbreck, has enlisted in the army at Calgary.

Evan Gushul was a visitor to the Creston district over the week end.

The big district golf tournament will be held at Fernie June 24-25-26.

Almost an inch of rain was recorded in the Brooks district in two hours on May 31st.

Mr. Carswell, Pincher Creek solicitor, represented a client in court here on Wednesday forenoon.

Plans for a new \$500,000 tuberculosis hospital on the University of Alberta campus have been completed.

The regular monthly meeting of Crows' Nest Chapter, IOOE, will be held in the Anglican hall on Tuesday next, June 13th, at 7:30 p.m.

Thirty-two years ago Rev. T. D. Jones, Methodist pastor, was having a church erected at Hardisty. Prior to that time he was pastor of the Bellevue-Hillcrest churches.

A report from Eaton, Ohio, says that the Preble County draft board has sent to the army a guy named Noah Harvey Herman Daniel Boone Buster Brown David Longworth. That's why they sent him.

Following in the wake of the United Nations' armed forces are special relief units and specialists in rehabilitation. Preparation for this relief work has been going on as part of the invasion plans.

Thirty-two years ago Tommy Thompson was asking the Dominion government for permission to operate certain mining claims in this corner of Alberta, mostly near Burmis. So were Walter Gardner and Augustus Carney.

Britain's new weapons have been just as offensive as defensive. The "backroom boys," as their scientists are called, have produced bombs which have grown bigger and more powerful every year. Their latest is a 12,000-pounder—so large that experts thought they could never get it inside a filling factory.

As Rev. Mr. Arrol had not returned from the Pacific coast, the pulpit of Central United church was again very acceptably occupied by Mr. J. Shevels, of Bellevue. We understand that Mr. Arrol will be at his post on Sunday next, June 11th, also on the 18th and 25th. The new pastor, Rev. James McKelvey takes over on June the 30th.

Alex. and James McVey were down during the week, and intend to spend at least another week with their parents and friends in the Crows' Nest Pass. Their wives and children were left at Luscar. Both boys are very well known in this district, the former in football and the latter in hockey activities. Their old-time friends are sure glad to meet them.

The German-controlled Par's radio broadcast a report on June 2nd that Pope Pius XII had written Bishop Count Konrad von Preysing-Lichtenegg-Moos, of Berlin, expressing sympathy in connection with the damage caused to the German capital by Allied bombers. The bishop on several occasions has protested Nazi totalitarianism and persecution of the Jews.

We had a fraternal visit on Monday from Mr. George Bond, accompanied by Mrs. Bond. George has been trying for about eighty years to get a "load" that's well worth carrying. Now he's got it—but it's fatness plus good health. George promises to entertain a large number of veterans of this war nineteen years and ten months from now, and is already making provision.

Farmers' smiles are so broad they can't crack.

Local Elks, about twenty in number, returned Tuesday morning from Calgary.

Rev. E. B. Arrol returns from the Pacific coast today, and will have charge of United church services on Sunday.

The new United church was opened at Brooks on Sunday last with Rev. Dr. Thomas Powell in charge of both services.

One can now breakfast in Los Angeles and six hours later be in Washington, D.C. This gives one the rest of the day to look for a room.

A. E. Eamer, of Winnipeg, grand exalted ruler of Canadian Elk lodges, attended the annual convention of the Alberta Elks Association in Calgary on Monday.

To entertain the public to the latest war news, a loud-speaker radio equipment was kept in operation all day Tuesday and for a considerable time since.

The Canadian Motion Picture War Services Committee has awarded a prize of a \$50 war bond to Dan Boyle at Macleod as first prize in a scrap book contest.

Angelo Peressini left by Monday afternoon's train to return to his navy post at the Pacific coast, following a visit of a few days here with his father and friends.

Punch says: German anti-aircraft defences have been timed to such a fine pitch that they have just brought down a report that was desperately trying to reach Stockholm.

Lieut. Lawrence Sherman, 23, eldest son of Archbishop L. Ralph Sherman of Rupert's Land, former bishop of Calgary, was killed in action in Italy on May 23rd.

Six New South Wales coal mines were idle last week in protest against the reduction of the butter ration from eight to six ounces per person for the eight weeks beginning June 5.

Fire swept the historic cathedral at Rouen, France, on Thursday of last week, following an explosion nearby. The cathedral bells, including 20-ton Joan d'Arc bell, were said to have melted in the fire.

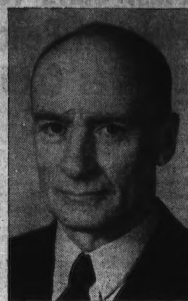
Social Credit government in Alberta has lessened the province's debt by \$18,000,000 and led the Dominion in free, province-wide care for maternity, tuberculosis and cancer cases, Hon. Solon Low said in an interview at Victoria, B.C. recently.

Mrs. Dixie Rose Lane, aged 30, of Denver, Col., pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy. She admitted marrying seven men in fourteen years, because they could provide her with the travel opportunities for which she yearned.

The marriage took place at Central United church, Calgary, on May 27th, of Barbara Mary Petroski, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spence, of Didsbury, to Private J. Callie, second son of Mrs. Callie, of Calgary, and the late J. M. Callie, of Macleod.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flett returned to Cardston recently from a visit to Eastern Canada and U.S. Following is a clipping from the Flint (Mich.) Journal: "Guests of honor at a reunion of the Waghorn family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Flett, of Cardston, Alberta, Canada. Mrs. Flett, the former Mae Waghorn, had not seen her family since 1919. Among the 42 guests was Mrs. Carl Auerbach, of Buffalo, Mrs. Flett's sister."

Yes, times are changing. The other day a girl student at a Calgary high school was married to a soldier. She was absent from school for about a week for the wedding. When she returned to her classes she brought a note to explain her absence, as required by school authorities. The note read: "Please excuse ——— for being absent for the past week, as she stayed home to take care of me." It was signed by her soldier husband.



GEORGE COUTTS,

distinguished organist and pianist, who will conduct examinations for the Toronto Conservatory of Music in Blairmore on June 21st.

Four thousand Allied ships and about 11,000 planes participated in the invasion of France.

Jog says waitresses may not be the ones who make the soup, but some of them have a finger in it.

Viscount Halifax has been created an earl for his services as British ambassador to Washington.

Urgent requests for supplies of fishing nets have been made to the main fishing centers in America, Canada and Newfoundland by Australia.

To save money nowadays, one local Scotchman, discovering a hole in the knee of his trousers, has started wearing them in reverse. They button up behind.

Smoke of a fire about half way up Goat Mountain on Monday and Tuesday caused some considerable concern locally. On Tuesday, with a field glass, a man could be seen sauntering around in the neighborhood.

Major H. M. McCaffrey, of the Canadian Dental Corps, left last week for eastern Canada following a visit with his family at Brooks. Doc was hoping for a feed of trout before leaving, but Gordon and Bart said the season was not open.

Word was received at Michel last week end by Mr. and Mrs. W. Kuloski that their only son, PO Steve Kuloski, has been listed missing after a bombing mission over Germany. Another Michel boy, FS Wilbur Bents, has also been reported missing overseas. He was former CPR telegraph operator at Michel. His father, G. B. Bents, former CPR dispatcher at Nelson, now lives at Medicine Hat.

Calgary restaurant owners last week end sharply protested the statement made in an address by Major Fred Pilcher, head of the army venereal disease board that "the principal sources of venereal diseases in Calgary, now that most houses of prostitution have been closed, are waitresses and the little girls who walk the streets with nothing to do."

Five-year-old Mackay Spracklin, of Drumheller, is owner of an honor award certificate of the Young Canada Club in recognition of his heroism last January in saving the life of his playmate, Gary Lutes, also 5, who fell through ice into the freezing waters of the Red Deer river. Mackay is son of CMS Alex. Spracklin, of the Edmonton Fusiliers, and Mrs. Spracklin, of Drumheller.

George Coutts, noted organist and pianist, will conduct examinations for the Toronto Conservatory of Music in Blairmore on June 21st. He is a member of the faculty of the Conservatory and organist and choirmaster of Walmer Road Baptist church, Toronto. Some years ago, Mr. Coutts was a faculty member of the Conservatory of Music of Regina College and took an active part in the musical life of Saskatchewan. He was conductor of the Regina Choral Society and adjudicated at many festivals in the province. In 1930, Mr. Coutts won the Governor-General's prize in the Willingdon Arts competition for his sonata for violin and piano.